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The Bulletin.

Norwich, Thursday, Dec. 21, 1911.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Mild weather is favoring the lum-Buy Sunbeams to eat. Simply de-

Patriotic societies will observe Fore-fathers' day today.

The postoffice clerks are preparing for an endurance test this week. Holiday travelers are already adding to business on trains and trolleys. The D. A. R. memorial fountain on the Little Plain has been covered for

Bargains in dainty Xmas gifts, Or-er pic, cake and plum pudding at the Woman's Exchange.-adv.

Fifty printed calling cards for 25 cents at Bulletin office.—adv.

The moon was new last night and he weatherwise claim that indications foretell continued cold and snow. The West Town street school will close this afternoon for the Christ-mas vacation, and will open again on Jan. 3.

Sunt. H. M. Pollock, M. D., states that there has been no patient escape from the institution in the past two days and that no one is missing from

Noted in the Wesleyan news among the men who have been awarded "W" in football is John D. Murphy, '13, of

Schooner Bravo of Liverpool, N. S., is discharging a cargo of pulp at the Thames River Specialties company's dock at Montville.

reparations for the holiday, expecting in business on account of Sunday oming just before Christmas.

Most of the schools will have Christ-mas trees for the younger pupils be-fore the term closes tomorrow, and the

business section of the town most at-tractive to visitors, during the few remaining evenings in which Christ-mas shopping must be done.

Following its custom the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has posted notices at its stations, giving details of special stops to be made by regular trains on Christmas day.

At New Haven Tuesday a meeting of the Connecticut state board of examiners of embalmers was held at Yale medical school, for the purpose of examining applicants for licenses. Organists and cheir directors are reminded that musical programmes for Christmas Sunday and Christmas day should be sent to The Bulletin in good

season for publication Saturday morn-Sunday school teachers continue the annual custom of giving meritorious pupils Christmas gifts of bankbooks showing deposits sufficient to enable the children to start a bank

John H. Woods of the Norwich line ompany of the New England Navigation company has gone to Fall River to take charge of the boats of the Providence and Fall River line, during the holiday travel.

It has been discovered that the hieves who broke into St. James' hurch of New London last week took we valuable vases in addition to the ther articles missed at the time the

heft was discovered. Nerwich acquaintances learn that e estate of the late Congressman N.

D. Sperry amounts to \$138,265. Of his there is \$24,000 in real estate, \$16,-22 in life insurance, \$50,385 in stocks and bends of \$32,465.

The greatest damage done to the astern Point cottage of George W. les of Norwich, broken into a few ights ago, was the disorder in which t was left, all the rooms being ran-acked. No valuables are left in the ttage during the winter.

It is noted by a Groton correspon-ent that Miss Laura Story, who has dist recovered from a serious surgical peration in the Providence hospital, as arrived at the home of her parties, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Story, to remain for the holiday season.

silled two spring porkers, 8 months old, that tipped the scales at 360 and 369 pounds. The Terry brothers are well known pork raisers, but these two solid porkers are the heaviest that has been raised by them for several

The sales of Christmas trees and greenery will be larger than ever, this year. In addition to the usual supply of wreaths, trees, etc., furnished customers by grocers, milkmen and marketmen, several stations for the sales of decorations and trees have een established at different points

That the Connecticut company is en-deavering to comply with the request of the D. A. R. chapters of the state for lower car steps is evident from the fact that for inspection by the state public utilities commission officials of the Connecticut company Tuesday sent a closed trolley car to a station on Capitol avenue, Hartford, where they experimented in dropping the step, for a reduction of the distance in entering and leaving the car.

ATTENDANCE FALLS OFF

AS CHRISTMAS APPROACHES Night School Up to This Week Has Had a Good Attendance-Vacation of Two Weeks.

People's Warket

Franklin St.

JUSTIN HOLDEN, Prop.

THERE is no advertising medium in Eastern Connecticut equal to The Bulletin for business results.

Up to this week there has been an average attendance of 80 at the night school, but this week it dropped to about 50, which is supposed to be because of the approach of Christmas and the extra work attending that The interest is high, states Principal Lucey, and the pupils are making excellent progress. The school will close Priday night for a vacation of two weeks, and when it resumes next month it is expected that the attendance of 80 at the night Mrs. Harris' relatives.

Miss Mary Julia Canty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Canty of North Thames street, is recovering from a serious filness with diphtheria. It is expected that the pupils are making excellent progress. The school will close of the brightest pupils in the ninth for a vacation of two weeks, and when it resumes next month it is expected that the attendance of 80 at the night School, Mrs. Harris' relatives.

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MAIN DAM OF STONY BROOK RESERVOIR SHOWING CONCRETE GATEHOUSE AT LEFT.

WORKING

Contractor at Stony Brook Reservoir Hopes to Complete It Before Weather Stops Work-500 Feet of Pipeline to be Finished—Fairview Holds Its Own.

Odder children will have special exercises.

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There is local interest in the fact that the late A. M. Young of Branford and New York left a million dollars. He began life as a telephone lineman.

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Certificates of organization have been filed with the state secretary by the Norwich Automatic Feeder Co. of this city and the Schwaner Bres. Co. of New London.

The state prohibition party is waiting for some town to invite it to hold its annual convention, so that the state committee can decide the date, etc. some time in January.

Brilliantly lighted stores make the business section of the town most attractive to visitors, during the few years on the new road which is being carried to a select the point in the dam where the spillway is shown on the right, while on last week the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alst week the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor at Stony Brook reservoir made the most of its alweek the contractor beautiful to the fact the point in the dam where the spillway is the coverning of the work he late to the work he late of the work he late to the point in the dam where the spillway is the basin in still under way where made the riprapping is also under way. Not land the rill part of the week and for several days late the point in the center the point has the point in the basin is attempted. Not ling the left of the basin is shown on

The contractor is making good prog-ress on the new road which is being built at the reservoir, but it is not in se yet, but few mere days' work re-

mains. Views of Basin and Dam. The above picture shows the main dam at the Stony Brook reservoir, looking at it from a point in the basin. On the left can be seen the concrete gatehouse, which is not yet finished. The main dam is 800 feet long and 32 feet high. The brook running through the basin is not visible, but terminates the basin is not visible, but terminates near the gatchouse, where the wastepipe carried off the water. The amount passing through there has diminished somewhat, but there is still a good sized stream flowing at present. The view on Page 7 shows the entire basin of the reservoir, all of which will be flowed when the reser-This view is taken from the west end from a point near the

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rawson of Peck street have moved to Providence

Carleton P. Browning of Columbia iniversity is at his home for the Christmas recess.

E. W. Benson and family leave town died died day for Hartford where Mr. Benson by Ai has secured employment. After visiting friends in Franklin

Mrs. Ambrose Sullivan has returned to her home in Mohegan. Leslie T. Gager of Yale is spending

the holidays in town as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gager, Jr. Mrs. Gus Andrews returned Tues-day to New York, after several days' visit with friends in this city.

Miss Helen E. Pomeroy, who has been in Norwich since September, has returned to her home in Brooklyn, N.

Rev. S. J. Weaver of East Lyme has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Will-lam Sandberg, at her home in Trading

James Green of Montville is enter

taining his brother, Tobor Green, who is an inmate of the soldiers' home at Misses Mary and Lottle Lavec left

Uncasville Tuesday afternoon for Canada, where they will spend the winter with relatives. Clifford L. Adams, formerly of Put-nam, new employed in New London, is to move his family to New London to reside on Huntington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Waiter Dolbeare of New London returned this week after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Sullivan of Mohegan

Miss Annie Dolbaum has returned to her duties at Sterling, after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dolbaum of Stonington.

George H. Harris, who is a student at a military school on the Hudson, is spending several days with relatives in East Norwich. Later he will be joined by his mother and they will go to Cape Cod to spend the holidays with Mrs. Harris' relatives.

and is pushing it as fast as he can with hopes of finishing soon after the first of the year. The ditch is nearly dug up for that remaining distance and he is laying pipe each day. The Trading Cove brook, which he is obliged to go under with the pipeline, haven the caused when trouble because of ing caused much trouble because of the volume of water, is not as high as it was, though this is the season when it was, though this is the season when it carries its capacity. From this way the pipe has been laid to the center of the brook. The contractor then began on his further end and where centractor Torrance had started his contract, and is now laying pipe this way to meet the other end in the brook, and he is fast clearing up the

brook, and he is fast closing up the gap.

Fairview reservoir, as measured on Wodnesday, was holding its own at 144 inches. There was a 14-inch stream coming in from Meadow brook.

ELECTS ITS OFFICERS Robert W. Otis, Worshipful Master

ters Present. Many were present at the annual meeting of Somerset lodge, No. 34 F. and A. M., at Masonic temple Wedneeday evening. The annual reports as read showed the organization to be in excellent condition. There were 19 stated communications during the year with three specials for work and one with three specials for work and one for a funeral. There were eight raised during the year, one demitted and 15 died. The financial report was read by Arthur H. Brewer, the report of the trustees of the sinking fund was read by Howard L. Stanton and that

read by Howard L. Stanton and that of the members raised and the necrology by F. W. Lester. There were in attendance during the communication ten past masters of the lodge.

The election resulted as follows with the appointive officers: Worshipful master, Robert W. Otis; senior warden, Herbert R. Kind; junior warden, Noah Lucas; trustee, Joseph W. Glibert; secretary, C. Leslle Hopkins; senior deacon, Arthur M. Thompson; junior deacon, Joseph H. Hall; senior steward, Paui H. Zahn; funior steward. steward, Paui H. Zahn; junior steward, Walter M. Cowan; chaplain, John B. Stanton; marshal, John B. Oat; musi-Stanton; marshal, John B. Oat; musi-cal director, J. Frank Corey; tyler, Irving N. Gifford; finance committee, Arthur H. Brewer, Howard L. Stan-ton, Frederick W. Lester; committee on dues, Robert W. Otis, C. Leslie Hopkins, F. W. Lester. The officers were installed by Past Master Frederick W. Lester, acting as most worshipful grand master, assist-ed by Howard L. Stanton as grand

ed by Howard L. Stanton as grand marshal. The past year has been an excellent one for the lodge under the direction of Worshipful Master W. H. Woodworth, and a similar success is anticipated for the coming year under the new master. Robert W. Otis was raised in Somerset lodge in 1907 and has followed through the chairs of the lodge in quick succession, having taken a deep interest in the work. The necrology report for the past year follows, with date they were

year follows, with date raised and date of death: date they were Ambrose Sullivan of Mohegan.

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Frank Hewes, son of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Hewes of Groton, has arrived home from Pomfret, where he is attending the Pomfret school, to spend the holidays.

Ambrose Sullivan of Mohegan.

James Moffitt (affiliated August 3, 1881), deed December 25, 1910; John T. Fanning (Decmber 27, 1867), February 6, 1911; N. H. D. Vars (December 31, 1873), February 7; Henry A. Pitcher (January 22, 1873), February 2, John Heberding (October 18, 1893), February 19; J. Milton Bartlett (October 36, 1907), Murch 2, Rev. John V. Lewis (November 16, 1864). the holidays.

The Waterbury Republican says:
Vice President James E. Grafton of the Crosby high school will spend the Christmas holidays at his home in Norwich, and at Cambridge, Mass.

George Harris, son of the late Dr. George H. Harris, who is a student at a militury school on the Hudson, is

> Mrs. Lord Sings "Ben Bolt." At the production of Triby at Poll's this week, the solo, Ben Bolt, which Trilby is supposed to sing, is beautifully rendered by Mrs. George T. Lord, Miss Montgomery not being a singer. The solo is given off the stage, but the audience would like to hear more.

Returns to Duty. After being off duty for a period of can days. Chief Murphy returned to police headquarters on Wednesday. Capiala Linten, who has been acting in the absence of the chief, resumed night work Wednesday night,

ALEXANDER JORDAN RETAINS PINOCHLE CHAMPIONSHIP. Finished Ahead of Robinson by 115

Points - Another Series

The first series of pinochie games which has been in progress for the past few months in the West Side Pinochie club closed Wednesday



ALEXANDER JORDAN.

evening and as the result it was found that Alexander Jordan had retained the title of champion, finishing the twelve evening with points totaling 80,765. In second pince was Arthur Robinson, only 115 points benind, while Baker finished a close third, being over 80,000. Another series of tweive games will be played, opening the first Wednesday of the new year. The scores for the series follow: Alexander Jordan 80,765, Robinson 80,650, Baker 80,475, J. Jordan 78,465, Larsen 78,765, Tretrault 78,670, Peckham 76,620, Ledger 76,320, Opitz 76,265, Lewis 75,820, Bailey 74,530, Pettis 74,315. evening and as the result it was found

74,530, Pettis 74,315. SPANISH WAR VETERANS

HAVE XMAS GATHERING. About 25 Gathered at the Armory for Whist and Refreshments - Those for Ensuing Year-Ten Past Mas-Who Took Prizes.

It was not a foraging party at the It was not a foraging party at the armory on Wednesday evening, though the prize winners might have indicated such if they had been seen with their prizes under their arms. It was a social gathering of Griswold Comman, Spanish War Veterans, for a Christmas party, and the 25 in attendance had a happy time.

Whist was enjoyed for a portion of the evening, there beling four tables.

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The prizes were taken as follows:
First, Milo R. Waters, 61, a duck; second, John Gemble, 51, a rooster; consolations, George Lumsden and Albert Thorpe. At the turkey drawing the bird was awarded to Henry Whit-march. Refreshments were served at

The members are considering the advisability of holding whists at their monthly meetings, and it is probable it will be put into effect. Next month at their meeting there will be the in-stallation of the newly elected officers.

FIVE NEW SUITS IN SUPERIOR COURT Filed With Clerk of the Court for the

First Tuesday in January. On Wednesday these new cases were returned to the clerk of the superior court for the first Tuesday in Jan-

brought by Michael J. Cunningham against Leonard E. Harris for injuries received May 8, 1911. It is claimed that us he was driving in West Thames street the auto truck of the defendant being negligently operated was run in-to his express wagon, throwing Mr. Cunningham to the ground and break-ing his right wrist, as well as receiv-ing other injuries.

Suit is brought against William Rudd

alias William M. Chappel of East Ma-rion, L. I., by Oliver H. Rudd of Preston to secure land in Preston valued at \$1,000. It is claimed the property was given only in trust, there being no consideration, and that the plaintiff has paid the taxes and is in possession of it.

To recover horses valued at \$450. To recover horses valued at \$450, which were repievined on December 4 by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Tubbs, suit has been brought against the official by W. C. Sprague of Plainfield, Action is brought against Lewis Rabishaw of Waterford by John Anderson of that town asking that properly which was transferred to the defendant be returned to the plaintiff. It is claimed the land was given the defendant by the plaintiff upon the defendant by the piaintiff upon the agreement that the defendant support the plaintiff during the remainder of his life. It is alleged the defendant is talking of selling the property.

A suit for divorce is brought by Henrietta H. Martin of New London against Delwin S. Martin of this city on the grounds of desertion. They were married Feb. 2, 1881, the plain-

iff's maiden name having been Henri TWO YONNG MEN ARRESTED. Brought in on Warrants and Serious

Charges May , Be the Result, Two young men were arrested on Wednesday, one by Policeman Maleney and the other by Sergeant Twoniey, on charges which may have a serious aspect when they are presented in Do not accept any substitute. Lee & aspect when they are presented in Do not account this morning. Both spent the Osgood Co.

night at the police station, the ball which was offered by the sister of one of them not being accepted. Seduction is the charge in one case, and a charge of a similar nature is brought in the Next other case.

JURY HAS THE

LISBON FLOWAGE CASE Considered It 25 Minutes When They Came in and Were Excused Until This Morning.

When the superior court resumed its session on Wednesday the case of Garlington vs. the Blissville Mills Co. was resumed. Civil Engineer Palmer resumed his testimony, and others who testified were Rufus Tiden. Edwin Oldfield and W. H. Frisbie. Mr. Frisbie testified that in 1864 he drilled a hole in a big rock as a boundary mark. It was the testimony of Mr. Tiden that the water has not been raised in the upper pond.

The arguments were made by Attorneys Edmund Perkins, J. J. Desmond and D. G. Perkins, after which Judge Wheeler charged the Jury. He completed his charge at 4.35, when he gave the case to the jury with the statement that they should report back at 5 o'clock whether they had reached a verdict or not. Coming in at that time Foreman Barnes announced that they had not reached a verdict and they were excused until this morning, when the matter will be further considered by them.

SALAVATION ARMY KETTLE HAS NETTED \$17.

This is Far Below What is Needed to Give the Desired Cheer for Poor Children.

While the Christmas shoppers have been out in the past two days, a number of them have noticed a place where they could do something to provide Christmas cheer for others by dropping a contribution into the Salvation Army kettle, which Envoy George Beckwith and his assistants have had hanging from its tripod in Franklin square. In the first two days of the week the kettle collections totalled \$17. Envoy Beckwith said Wednesday evening that the money needed to come in faster than that if he was going to get faster than that if he was going to get enough to carry out his Christmas plan without a delcit.

The Salvation Army Christmas din-ner baskets are to be distributed at the headquarters on Saturday, and the Christmas tree for the children held on Monday evening at 7.30 at the Town hall.

FOUNDATIONS TO BE

At the plant of the Thames River Specialties company at Montville ev-cry department is running full time and at that it is impossible to fill the orders. This is also the condition at the office of the Climax company, which is located in the same factory build-ing. Both concerns are doing a big and increasing business.

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Within the next two weeks it is expected that the foundations will be started for the new machine which is to be installed in the plant of the Specialties company, says Vice President Bigelow. The new steel work will begin arriving in a short time and it is figured that the new machine will be ready for operation by the first of May.

Incidents in Society

Col. and Mrs. Joseph E. Fletcher of Providence gave a dance at the Agu-wam Hunt, Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Harriet M. H. Fietcher. Among those present was Miss Mary White of Norwich, who is Miss Fletcher's house guest.

A pleasant family party for Christ mas has been arranged by Arthur H. Brewer of Broad street. The guests will include Mr. Brewer's brother, Frank C. Brewer, and Mrs. Brewer, of Boston, Miss Ruth Wellington of New York, a nicce, Miss Buck of Boston, Edwin Bynner of New York, a nephew and Robert Brewer of Boston, in addition to Mr. Brewer's three daughters Mrs. William A. Norton, Mrs. Willis Austin and Mrs. Lucius Briggs of Norwich, with their husbands and children.

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